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SUBJECT: ELECTRONIC BANKING - BANK OFFICIAL ATTENDING
- ATLANTA AUTOMATION CONFERENCE

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1. FRANCIS KUO-RUI YEN, CHAIRMAN OF THE TAIWAN BANKERS' ASSOCIATION ELECTRONIC BANKING RESEARCH SUBCOMMITTEE AND BANK OF TAIWAN SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT IN CHARGE OF THE BOT AUTOMATION DEPARTMENT, WILL ATTEND THE NATIONAL OPERATIONS AND AUTOMATION CONFERENCE, BEING HELD IN ATLANTA, GEORGIA FROM MAY 21-24. SPONSOR IS THE AMERICAN BANKERS' ASSOCIATION OPERATIONS AUTOMATION DIVISION, JAMES E. LODGE DIRECTOR, 1120 CONNECTICUT AVENUE, N.W., WASHINGTON D.C. 20036, TELEPHONE (202)467-4032. ALTHOUGH WILLING TO DISCUSS THE BACKGROUND AND PROSPECTS FOR ELECTRONIC BANKING IN TAIWAN, YEN'S ITINERARY IS ALREADY RIGIDLY FIXED, AND HE IS UNABLE TO VISIT WASHINGTON. FOLLOWING THE MAY 21-24 CONFERENCE, YEN WILL VISIT THE IBM OKLAHOMA FREE-STANDING TERMINAL FACILITY MAY 25-26. AFTERWARDS, HE WILL GO TO LOS ANGELES TO CALL ON RICHARD FREY, VICE PRESIDENT, SECURITY PACIFIC BANK, TELEPHONE
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(213)613-0850. (SECURITY PACIFIC HAS BEEN RELATIVELY SLOW IN AUTOMATING, AND IS NOW ALSO IN THE MIDST OF CONSIDERING FROM AMONG THE MANY ALTERNATIVES THE BEST WAY TO LINK ELECTRONICALLY ITS MANY LARGE, MEDIUM, AND SMALL BRANCHES.)

2. YEN IS A KEY FIGURE IN THE ELECTRONIC BANKING SCENE

(SEE REFTTEL PARAGRAPH 4) AND AS CHI'S CHIEF TECHNICAL ADVISOR, HE HAS THE BEST UNDERSTANDING OF THE TECHNICAL AND POLICY GOALS OF THE BANKS. HIS SPOKEN ENGLISH IS NOT VERY FLUENT, BUT HE HAS A GOOD GRASP OF BANKING AND COMPUTER TECHNICAL TERMS, AND REASDNABLE COMPREHENSION OF ENGLISH IF SPOKEN SLOWLY.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: USDOC IS REQUESTED TO TELEPHONE MR. LODGE OF ABA'S OPERATIONS AUTOMATION DIVISION AND CONFIRM THAT YEN WILL DEFINITELY BE ATTENDING THE ATLANTA CONFERENCE. DUE TO RIGID AND COMPLEX FOREIGN EXCHANGE CONTROL REGULATIONS, YEN IS UNABLE TO SEND DEPOSIT MONEY AND WILL PAY ALL EXPENSES WHEN HE ARRIVES IN ATLANTA. EMBASSY RECOMMENDS THAT USDOC MAKE AN EFFORT TO CONTACT YEN TO DISCUSS ELECTRONIC BANKING. UNGER

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